



Instructions

APPLICATION FOR AMERICAN FISHERIES ACT (AFA) INSHORE PROCESSOR PERMIT

Complete a separate application for each Inshore Processor. Type or print legibly in ink. Retain a copy of completed application. Completed forms should be mailed to:

National Marine Fisheries Service (NMFS)
Restricted Access Management (RAM)
P.O. Box 21668
Juneau, AK 99802-1668

If you have questions about these permits, please call RAM at 907-586-7202 or 1-800-304-4846.

BLOCK A - AFA INSHORE PROCESSOR INFORMATION

Are you applying for a cooperative processing endorsement on the AFA inshore processor permit? Indicate YES or NO.

If YES, complete Block E.

Indicate whether type of permit requested is Restricted or Unrestricted.

Unrestricted processors. NMFS will issue an unrestricted AFA inshore processor permit to a shoreside processor or stationary floating processor if the Regional Administrator determines that the processor facility processed annually more than 2,000 mt round-weight of pollock harvested in the inshore component of the directed BSAI pollock fishery during each of 1996 and 1997.

Restricted processors. NMFS will issue a restricted AFA inshore processor permit to a shoreside processor or stationary floating processor if the Regional Administrator determines that the facility processed pollock harvested in the inshore component of the directed BSAI pollock fishery during 1996 or 1997, but did not process annually more than 2,000 mt roundweight of BSAI pollock during each of 1996 and 1997.

If the information provided in Block E changes, you must submit an amended application within 30 days of the date of the change.

BLOCK B - STATIONARY FLOATING PROCESSOR INFORMATION

1. Enter complete stationary floating processor name as displayed in official documentation.
2. ADF&G Processor Code - Enter State of Alaska Department of Fish & Game (ADF&G) Intent to operate processor license number (example: F12345).
3. From USCG official documentation, enter:
USCG documentation number (example: 566722).
Gross tons.

Shaft horsepower
Registered Length (in feet)

4. Federal Processor permit number
5. Onboard business telephone number, FAX number, and e-mail address

BLOCK C - SHORESIDE PROCESSOR INFORMATION

1. Enter complete shoreside processor name as displayed in official documentation.
2. ADF&G Processor Code - Enter State of Alaska Department of Fish & Game (ADF&G) Intent to operate processor license number (example: F12345).
3. Federal Processor permit number
4. Business telephone number, FAX number, and e-mail address

BLOCK D - OWNERSHIP INFORMATION

1. Enter the full name(s) of the processor owner(s). If there is more than one owner, list the principal owner first. The permit will be issued to the first owner listed, with an *et al.* notation. The permit MUST be issued to the owner of the vessel or processor, not operators or lessees.
2. Enter social security number (voluntary) or tax identification number of owner.

PRIVACY ACT STATEMENT: Your social security number is confidential and is protected under the Privacy Act. Disclosure of your Social Security Number (SSN) is voluntary. The primary purpose for soliciting the social security number is to provide a unique identifier to verify the identity of the applicant(s) for issuance of a federal fishery permit and to avoid inappropriate release of confidential records related to federal commercial fishery permits. In the event it is not provided, NMFS will assign a unique code that will identify your records.

3. Enter complete PERMANENT business mailing address of the owner, including state and zip code. Your permit will be sent to this address. If you need to have your permit sent to a different address, please enter your PERMANENT business address on the application and attach a note with your alternate address.
4. Enter business telephone number of the owner, including area code.
5. Enter business FAX number of the owner, including area code.
6. Enter business E-mail of the owner.
7. Enter the name of any company (other than the owner) that manages the operations of the processor

BLOCK E - AFA CRAB FACILITY OWNERSHIP INFORMATION

If you are applying for a cooperative pollock processing endorsement, list the following for each AFA crab facility. This requirement is necessary because NMFS must identify and issue crab processing restrictions to any AFA entity that owns or controls an AFA inshore processor that receives pollock harvested by a cooperative.

Attach additional sheets, if necessary, to list all entities and facilities.:

Name and type of facility

ADF&G processor code

Percentage of ownership or control and describe the nature of the interest in each AFA crab facility that is affiliated with the AFA entity that owns or controls the AFA inshore processor

Owner name and signature certifying authorization for NMFS to use the 1995, 1996, 1997, and 1998 total processing history of each BSAI king and Tanner crab species to compile AFA crab processing sideboard percentages. These percentages, once compiled, are authorized for public release only for purposes of notifying the public of this entity's crab processing sideboard poundage cap.